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35 U.S.C. 371

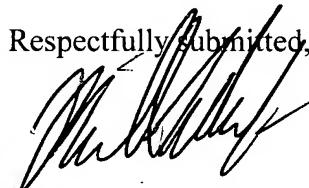
Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371, the applicant hereby submits the following:

- 1) a copy of the Notification; and
- 2) an executed declaration for the above-identified application.

The application should now be in condition for examination. Please proceed to examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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